

**Resolution authorizing a data sharing and confidentiality agreement with MDRC. (Franklin County Child Support Enforcement Agency)**

**WHEREAS**, the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services ("ODJFS") is required by the federal Office of Child Support Enforcement (OCSE), under the terms of the Behavioral Interventions in Child Support (BICS) grant award, to participate in a test for the effectiveness of a series of behavioral interventions designed to improve the delivery of child support services as conducted by MDRC (the "Research"); and

**WHEREAS**, on or about October 1, 2015, ODJFS, on behalf of the state Office of Child Support, entered into a data sharing and confidentiality agreement with MDRC for the Research; and

**WHEREAS**, Franklin County is participating in the Research and MDRC also requires access to certain information contained in the Franklin County Child Support Enforcement Agency's files, in order to assist both ODJFS and MDRC with completion of the Research; and

**WHEREAS**, the disclosure of such information will not only assist OCSE with its Research, but the results of such Research will be beneficial to the Franklin County CSEA in administering its child support programs; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS, FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO:

In consideration of mutual promises contained herein, MDRC and the County agree to enter into the attached Data Sharing Agreement effective August 1, 2016.

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cc:

Franklin County Board of Commissioners  
Franklin County Child Support Enforcement Agency

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